(e) No, Sir.

Measures taken to defend borders along Bangladesh, Myanmar and Bhutan

†*352. SHRI P.K. MAHESHWARI: Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the measures taken by Government to protect the border areas adjoining Myanmar, Bangladesh and Bhutan; and

(b) the steps taken by Government to improve relations with these neighbouring countries and to control the terrorists engaged in anti-India activities?

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES): (a) and (b) The Government has taken all necessary and appropriate measures to safeguard the sovereignty and territorial integrity of India. The Government has strengthened relations with the neighbouring countries through the policy of good neighbourly cooperation and constructive engagements.

Regular discussions regarding anti-Indian activities by the terrorists in Bangladesh and Myanmar, take place with both these countries at the political and operational level. The Government of India and Bhutan remain in constant touch and are extending necessaray cooperation to each other. The government of Bhutan has reiterated that they would not allow their territory to be misused against the interest of India.

Recommendations of Law Commission on detection and deportation of illegal migrants

*353. SHRI RUMANDLA RAMACHANDRAIAH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Law Commission has made any recommendations for early detection and deportation of illegal immigrants in consultation with concerned agencies;

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